





Once upon a time

Dear Parents

We had a lovely time last week starting this term's project. We started with a companion project called sparkle and shine which looked at celebrations, sorry we dared to use the Christmas word before December! We looked at difficult celebrations, tried some different party foods, and spoke about the similarities and differences in each celebration.

A fun afternoon was spent designing their own party hats with much hilarity as they discovered they had made then too big and ended up over their eyes, however they all with support managed to measure their heads and get them to fit.

At the beginning of next week, we are looking at Diwali, we are making some diva lamps and Rangoli patterns (great for fine motor skills). Towards the later part of the week we are starting our project "Once upon a time", This project supports children to develop a love of stories and reading. It encourages children to learn, retell and act out familiar and traditional tales including Cinderella, Goldilocks, Little Red Riding Hood, The Three Little Pigs and The Three Billy Goats Gruff. We have put some ideas for you to do at home on our class page on the website.

As the weather gets colder and the children start to come in hats and gloves, could we just asked them to be named please, we teach the children to put the down their coat sleeves but we always mange to end up with a few odd pairs.

Thank you for all your support, we hope you are all keeping safe.

Mrs Morrell, Mrs Cruse, MRs Spence and Miss Sandford.